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Applicants : Kohei MIYAZONO et al.  
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DOMAINS, CORRESPONDING NUCLEIC ACID  
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

SIR:

This is in response to an Office Action dated April 27, 2000 in this application wherein the Examiner subjected the claims to a Restriction Requirement.